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NUMBER 118.

MOTHER OF RIEL DIED SATURDAY

Daughter of First White Woman who
Settled in the Red River Valley

Winnipeg, May 21.—Julie Riel, mother of Louis David Riel, chief of the two Red River rebellions, died Saturday at the ripe old age of 86 years in the little French Canadian Parish of St. Vital situated immediately south of the city of Winnipeg. She bore the proud distinction of being the daughter of the first white woman from New France born west of the Great Lakes. Her father came from Montreal a century ago to the then comparatively unknown Red River Valley for the Great Company. Her husband predeceased her many years ago, in fact before the rebellion of 1885 and was spared the agony of the execution of the famous rebel at Regina. Mrs. Riel will be buried in the family plot in the cathedral churchyard at St. Boniface.

METHODIST DISTRICT MEETING
The district meeting of the Methodist ministers and laymen of the Edmonton district was held at Clover Bar Methodist church on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Rev. C. H. Hueston, chairman of the district, presided. All the ministers of the district were present and there was a large attendance of laymen. Returns from all the circuits and missions of the district showed a decided increase from previous years in membership and in missionary and other funds. Rev. C. F. Hopkins, of White Horse Lake, financial secretary, presented a most encouraging report. Several memorials were sent up to the general conference, which meets this year in Montreal. The following delegates were elected to attend the Alberta conference to be held in Edmonton in June: P. E. Butchart, H. C. Taylor, A. T. Cushing and H. J. Saigen, of Edmonton; Mr. Rankin, of Strathcona; Robert Telfer of Ellison, and Wm. Ottewell, of Clover Bar. During their stay at Clover Bar those in attendance at the meeting were royally entertained by the residents.

NO SALOONS NOW IN SAN FRANCISCO

Mayor Revokes all Licenses. Insurance Co's. Taboo Earthquake Losses

San Francisco, May 21.—Before the earthquake there existed here 3,000 saloons. Every grocer had its little drinking place and ten breweries worked overtime. Eastern distilleries grew wealthy over the spirits sold here while the California wine industries looked to this city for greater portion of trade. At these concerns anticipated a season of great activity. At an early date the mayor took the matter in hand. He directed the police commissioners to revoke every wholesale and retail license held in the city. The saloon cannot return for months. It will be months before the insurance companies clear up the accounts. At the outset it was announced that the insurance men were to pay all losses in full with no attention to the earthquake and without discount, and waiving the dynamiting clauses in the contracts. For a time people who had lost everything were jubilant over the magnanimity of the men on whom they looked as benefactors. Now they are beginning to realize that in making that statement the insurance men were hanging up a cold bluff. Earthquakes claims are taboo while it is hardly possible that people whose houses were blown up to the ground the progress of the flames will ever get a cent.

ROYAL FAMILY DINNER
London, May 21.—King Edward will give a family dinner at Buckingham Palace Wednesday and Queen Alexandra and Princess Victoria will return to London today from a cruise. The family gathering will be complete. A special turbine steamer is prepared to take the bride-elect of the Spanish King and large suite from Dover to Calais, from which places they will proceed by train. The Prince and Princess, who will represent the King at the wedding, will start for Madrid on Saturday.

THE WEATHER.
Sunday Monday
Maximum ... 65 53
Minimum ... 46 44
Barometer ... 29.79 39.86

POPE PRESAGES A NEW C.P.R. LINE

Ex-Member Believes Company Will Build Through to Yellowhead

Montreal, May 20.—Rufus Pope, ex-M.P., who has just returned from the Northwest, says the C.P.R. activity in Saskatchewan and Alberta indicates that it intends to build westward from a point between Calgary and Edmonton and reach the coast through the Yellowhead Pass.

CZAR WON'T RE- CEIVE DEPUTIES

Address in Reply Must be Transmitted Through the Government

St. Petersburg, May 21.—A bomb was thrown into the parliamentary camp this afternoon by a note received by President Montroueff of the lower house from Peteroff, which, instead of making an appointment for an audience at which he and a delegation would present the address in reply to the speech from the throne, contained the information that the Emperor would not receive the delegation, and that the address must be presented through the Ministry of the Court. Discouraged at this development, the leader of the majority in the house hastily summoned a caucus of the constitutive democratic deputies. President Montroueff before presenting the address to the Ministry of the Household will call a meeting of the House at which he will ask for instructions.

LARGE BUILDING FOR JASPER AVE.

Large Hotel for First Street. Many Buildings in Contemplation for Next Month

The building activity, which has been on for several weeks in the residential section, is now spreading to the Innsis and several large business blocks have been arranged for or are in contemplation.

One of the most handsome of these is the block which will be put up by Abraham Cristall of the Crystal Palace, the top floor next to the brick block. Theaters are being called for, and these will be opened on Friday, the 25th, after which building is to be commenced as early as possible.

The plans for the building, which has been designed by A. S. Johnson, architect, show a very handsome building. It will be 28 by 100 feet, three stories with basement. The whole of the main floor is to be one large store, while Mr. Cristall will use himself, his manager, etc., to occupy the rest of the building.

The building is to be erected in four months.

The whole front, above except for three plaster bays, is nearly all glass, giving it a well-lighted and finished effect. The building is to be pressed brick with cut stone trimmings. As the tenders are not yet in Mr. Cristall does not care to give the estimated cost of the building.

Another large building which is in contemplation is a hotel for the south west corner of Athabasca and First, which is to be put up by Calum & Ferguson. H. A. MacLean is preparing the plans for this building also. It is to be brick veneer, 55 x 90, four stories and basement, with 55 bedrooms. The plans are not far enough along yet to give any particulars as to cost.

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HIGH PRICES ON FIRST STREET

Brenton Property at Corner of Clara Bought on Saturday for \$10,000

The activity in real estate, which has been apparent all over town during the past few days, especially in First street and Hudson Bay reserve property, has resulted in some sales of considerable magnitude, among which was the transfer of the lot known as the Brenton property on Saturday for \$10,000 cash.

A York, of the Edmonton Real Estate Co., and Richard Secore were the purchasers of the lot, and they are taking the property up because they think real estate prices along First street are low enough to permit a handsome margin of profit in the near future.

The lot has a frontage of 150 feet on First street and 50 feet on Clara street. The price paid comes near the high water mark for First street realty values.

In the Hudson Bay reserve property there has been an unusual activity during the last few days, almost all the lots sold going into the hands of intending home builders. Two lots, Nos. 269 and 270 on Second street, north of the track, were sold on Saturday for \$2000 each, which also establishes a record in that part of the city.

STOOD OFF POLICE WITH REVOLVER

Manitoba Man Held the Officers at Bay but was Finally Gathered in

Snowflake, Man., May 21.—When Ralph Handford, of the Provincial Mounted Police, and Constable Cousins, attempted to arrest Walter Foster of Boway today on the charge of obtaining money under false pretences he defied them with a loaded revolver. The officers were unprepared for this, and Handford had his revolver in an inside pocket. Foster turned and fled. Procuring a rifle, the officers gave chase and overtaking him ran covered him with their firearms and forced him to throw up his hands.

SOUND MILLMEN CANNOT COMPETE

Vancouver, B.C., May 20.—Vancouver lumbermen cannot refrain from expressing their delight at the notorious Colion Puge Sound mill. (In) the sound in because of the control of the log supply by the loggers. Logs on the ground made another sharp advance on Saturday last with the result that the competition which the British Columbia mills have suffered in the Northwest and foreign markets at the hands of the Americans will be somewhat loosened. The Sound mills will be forced to put their prices up with a result which is obvious.

Many of the Sound millmen have been caught with orders on hand which they took on the basis of the old scale of logs. Now they cannot fill these orders except at a loss.

New scale on the Sound is as follows: Flooring \$12; merchantable \$9.50, and rough \$7. These rates are on the average about \$1.50 greater per thousand feet than the prices in British Columbia. The Sound rates are for logs at the camp, and towage would add another fifty cents per thousand for the mill.

ARCTIC PARTY SAILS FOR NORTH

Anglo-American Expedition Leaves Victoria Saturday. One Member

goes North via Edmonton

Victoria, May 20, 1906.—Special to the Bulletin.—The Duchess of Bedford, commanded by Capt. Mikkelsen and carrying the Anglo-American Polar Expedition, sailed from this port yesterday for the unexplored and unknown north. The ship will be away for two years, and the members of the expedition expect to be three years in the north, spending one winter at Minto Inlet and the second winter tramping over the ice from Banks Land to Wrangle Island, across a piece of the ocean never before visited by man.

If Captain Mikkelsen finds the unknown land which is now supposed to have such an important bearing on the currents and ice floe of the north, there will be a second expedition organized and this will, as will the first, start from Victoria. The object of the second expedition will be the discovery of the north pole.

A day or two before the ship sailed she was joined by another member, H. Endicot, a meteorologist from the New England states. Only one other member remains to join the party, Mr. V. Steffanson, now in Edmonton, who will go to the mouth of the Mackenzie river, where he will be picked up by the ship and taken to Minto Inlet, along with the other members.

The provisions and clothing for the ship's voyage were all secured in Victoria, but most of the other stuff came from Norway. A few days before the ship sailed ten or twelve sleighs and three kayaks have arrived from Norway. The sled provisions were put up in boxes one foot and a half square. It is in closely sealed cans, each weighing 45 pounds and having a buoyancy of 29 pounds. It is calculated that this buoyancy will support a man in water. In each can there will be rations for three men seven days. Several different kinds of food are in these boxes, mostly of a fatty nature. The kayaks are being taken along for use in crossing any opening in the ice. Each sled is capable of carrying 800 pounds. They are specially constructed for Arctic purposes. There is not a nail in their construction. They are 11 feet long, 9 inches wide and eight inches high. They each weigh 14 pounds. They are provided with a double set of runners, one set being covered with German silver to make them glide easily over the snow and ice.

A number of the fur suits required for the voyage were procured in Victoria, but in addition to these Capt. Mikkelsen is depending to some extent on the furs which he will get when he goes north. He has provisions sufficient to last the expedition two years and a half.

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WILL SURVEY AT FORT VERMILLION

J. B. Saint Cyr Leaves Tomorrow to Survey Wheat Land 400 Miles

North of this City

J. B. Saint Cyr, D. L. S., will leave on the Athabasca Landing stage for northern country, to proceed with the survey of the settlement of Fort Vermilion, on the Peace River, 400 miles farther north than Edmonton and a 700 mile journey by the route he will have to travel to reach his destination.

The settlers of Fort Vermilion have been memorializing the Ottawa government for some time to have a settlement survey made of their lands, as some of them have been in that country now for fifteen or twenty years, but still have no title to the land which they are working. The settlers close to Vermilion and some of them to Vermillion and some of them have not yet been surveyed. Fort Vermilion has grown into quite a modern town. There are three grist mills and three sawmills working, and the town is lighted by electric light and has well sur'ry at Vermillion continued phone connection. There are three threshing machines in the district and a whole string of self-binders. Cross never fall in Vermillion and prices are always good. Last fall the farmers got \$1.50 a bushel for their wheat. Allie Brick, the member for Peace River, who waited over for Mr. Saint Cyr, received word from the north yesterday, written April 29, that they had finished putting in 340 acres of crop and that the wheat was already thrice above the ground with the rest of the grain sprouting. This time Mr. Brick is taking north samples of Alberta Red, which he will sow next fall. He believes that the Peace River country is going to the winter wheat world of the world, and that when people find it out many surveyors will have their work cut out for them for years to come laying out homesteads for the settlers who will rush in to make Northern Alberta the greatest as well as the last west.

CANDIDATES MENTIONED

John McLennan and John Calhoun Mentioned as Candidates for Vacant Seat on Council Board

The election which is to take place on June 1st to fill the seat at the council board made vacant by the resignation of John R. Boyle, is attracting considerable attention among the electors. Two names are mentioned as candidates, John McLennan, contractor, and John Calhoun, of Ferguson & Calhoun.

John McLennan was appointed returning officer by the council at their meeting last Tuesday evening, but when seen by the Bulletin this morning confirmed the report that he was willing to allow his name to go before the electors as a candidate for alderman and stated that he did not think that the appointment as returning officer would prevent his becoming a candidate or would delay the election. Mr. McLennan has already placed his resignation as returning officer in the hands of the secretary-treasurer so that the council may have an opportunity at tomorrow night's meeting to appoint another returning officer in its stead. In the meantime he has carried out the duties devolving on him to date.

John Calhoun, the other man mentioned as a candidate, when seen by the Bulletin this morning, stated that he had been asked by several of his friends to go before the electors, but had not yet decided definitely one way or the other, but would probably be ready to make a statement by Wednesday.

WINNIPEG GRAIN PRICES
Winnipeg, May 21.—No. 1 northern, 80 3-4c.
No. 2, 78 1-2.
No. 3, 76 3-4c.
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STRATHCONA NEWS ITEMS

The Bulletin's Daily Budget From Sister Town

Strathcona May 19—Mrs. G. Brown lately from Oregon, U.S.A., and who was located at the Alberta, left town for home yesterday morning on account of sickness in his family.

Mr. Farrell, who has large land interests west of Lacombe left town this morning for home. Mr. Farrell has had good success in the west and came up to secure some real estate in this part of the province.

Mr. Thos. Stewart, who has a sawing outfit about eighteen miles up the river was in town today and reports his daily output of sawn lumber to be from 8,000 to 10,000 feet. They draw the lumber about six miles to the river and draft it down to Walter's mill. His purposes sawing until threshing time and may not do any threshing this season if the present demand for lumber keeps up.

Mr. Frank Scanlan, who lately sustained a fracture of his ankle is able to be around at times on crutches. Dr. Green is in attendance.

Mr. R. McAllister was in town today on business and gives very favorable crop reports of the Cochrane and Hillside districts.

Mr. P. Earle of Aix, Alta., came into town yesterday on the 3:30 train from south en route for the capital, where Mrs. Earle is very sick at the General hospital.

The Orange society held a meeting in their Lodge room here last night when important business came up for discussion and settlement.

The Fogler Bros. left town this morning for their large ranch on the Pembina. They took with them quite an assortment of stock, farm implements and general merchandise.

The proprietors of the Alberta hotel Main street, have transferred the large pool room into a dormitory in order to better supply travellers with sleeping accommodation, which even yet is often at a premium.

LAKE WABAMUN

To the Editor of the Bulletin: Dear Sir:

Be so very kind as to spare me a little space in your valuable paper, to remove the slur cast on our beautiful Lake Wabamun by Mr. R. A. Robertson, who infers in an open letter, which he is now circulating, that he has for sale "the only place on the whole lake where there is a sand beach." Doubtless the gentleman has an axe to grind, but such a remark shall not pass by unchallenged. The norin, west and south shores have miles of the finest beach, composed of clean, bright, hard sand, the water being exceptionally clear, enabling one to get the bottom of the lake quite a little distance from the shore. This cannot be truthfully said of the east end of the lake, now called Harbor Bay, which is rather notorious for its mud and muskegs, to which some of the settlers can testify, by having been sunk into their shoulders when taken down to drink. Another error should also be corrected. Mr. Robertson claims "Harbor Bay overlooks the whole lake to the south and west." From no one given point can one obtain a view of the whole lake, which verges towards the north west, and certainly not from any low land. The Wabamunites are justly very proud of their beautiful extensive lake, and all thanks to you Mr. Editor, if you kindly insert the above corrections.

Yours truly,
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They are to be sent by steamer around Cape Horn to Vancouver, where they will be carried overland to the company's railroad line in the Northwest, freight by this route being lower than by direct overland route from the east.

POLICE COURT

M. S. Croas of the Cross Fantour is appearing in the police court this afternoon charged with assaulting F. H. Golden. Golden was a partner of Croas in the business and has worked with him for some time. He claims that Croas would never give him any satisfaction when he wanted an agreement of partnership. He went to Croas on Saturday and demanded an agreement and payment. Golden says Croas got angry and struck him two or three times in the mouth. Magistrate Wade is trying the case.

Ragin Leader: A serious outbreak

of smallpox has occurred at Halibut on the Arcola line of the C. P. R. So

far the dread disease has been confined to one house, in which there are at present three cases. The people af-

fected are recently arrived settlers

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STREET IMPROVEMENTS

Editor Bulletin:

It seems to me that the question of street improvement is, or should be, the most important one before our citizens at this time. It is a fact well worth considering that the condition of the streets here during the entire rainy season greatly relents the growth of the city and is highly detrimental to the business interests. Our citizens boast of the best taxation laws on earth for the raising of public revenues and justly so, for they more nearly approach the single tax system than in any other place and many claim that it would be a wise step to make a little nearer approach thereto and then use the increase in the revenue for street improvements. This would without doubt be the proper means to adopt to secure such improvements, under ordinary circumstances, for one fourth the rental value of the land within the city limits, to say nothing of the entire rental value which in justice should go into the public till, would be ample to make our city the most beautiful place on earth, for its size, and keep it so. I think it would not be an extravagance to make that with the single tax system in vogue here this could be made the largest and most beautiful city in Canada within the next ten years. However, an emergency is at hand, and as it would possibly take some time to raise the required amount through this proper system, it would be better to resort to the ordinary proceedings in such matters and assess the costs to the abutting property. Surely no lot owner in this city would be so blind to his own interests and to the interests of the city at large as to raise any objections to this proceeding. As an owner of several lots in various parts of the city I would be only too pleased to pay my portion of the costs, and feel that few would feel otherwise, even if it amounted to \$200 per lot, which it would not. The city council certainly has the power to order and proceed with such improvement without petition and even consent of the property owners, and the members of that body ought to stand as a unit for this absolute necessity. Then why not proceed at once with this improvement? We surely don't want miles and miles of thoroughfares only fit for mud-scoops or hog wallows, but rather do we want miles of beautifully paved streets fit for the good people of this place to traverse with pleasure in all kinds of weather. The matter should be taken up at once and never neglected until its accomplishment. Very few, if any objections would be raised to this proceeding, and if otherwise, the objector would be a very unfit citizen for so beautiful a city as Edmonton would be after the change. What think you, citizens? Let us hear from you in regard to the matter.

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RIFLE SHOOT

Saturday saw a good turnout at the ranges and being an ideal day for shooting, the haze and smoke having disappeared on account of the recent rains, several goal scores were made. The wind grew boisterous at times, which necessitated varying wind allowance, but on the whole a very enjoyable afternoon was put in. Scores merit as follows—

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The ranges will be open all day Thursday, 24th, All members who have not yet signed the service roll are particularly requested to attend on that date.

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RED DEER DOINGS

Red Deer, May 21.—The Red Deer Club has been incorporated. It is probable that the club will erect a suitable building in the near future, installing a billiard room, refreshment bar, etc.

The city police are spreading themselves in gorgous new uniforms this week.

Red Deer people are wondering whether the Moonlight Baseball League is gone up in the air or why they have heard nothing further about it.

Guy Edgington, his wife and child, accompanied his mother's body to Toronto, leaving on last night's train.

A. E. Farncombe, Government Land Surveyor, who has been stationed here for the past couple of weeks, has been ordered to Lacombe.

E. Berry has taken a trip to Banff for his health.

M. Beckett has been appointed to a position in the Government creamery in Markerville, and leaves for there today.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Root left to-day for their farm in Erskine, Alta.

Walter Price has taken a position in the Windsor Hotel.

Several large real estate deals have gone through this week. J. R. Cowell has purchased four and a half acres of land north Waskasoo Park for the sum of \$3000 from A. E. Farncombe. E. Michener has bought the Love block for \$3500, and the Love property and residence on Gaetz ave. has been sold to Mr. Bawtineheimer. J. F. and F. W. Gaetz returned from Calgary on Tuesday.

We are informed that E. Michener will commence building operations in the near future on the property opposite the Merchants' Bank. It is probable that the Imperial Bank will occupy the premises.

The bar of the Windsor Hotel was opened last week.

Letters have been received from Waskasoo and Didsbury Baseball Clubs asking for games. Dates will probably be given them.

Mr. H. Preston, who for some years past has had charge of the buffalo at Sir Dona D. Smith's park, in Silver Heights, Winnipeg, has taken a home in the Red Deer district.

The building next the Alexandra Hotel formerly used as a Government Land Office, has been fitted up as the City police station.

Red Deer crossings remind one of what Winnipegs was in the boom days. "Anyone caught bathing at this lake without a suit will receive \$1.00 reward." The above is the sign exhibited at Pidgeon and Wallace's, and refers to that portion of the street in front of their store.

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ONE KIND OF AN OPPONENT ON

It has been said that "the business of an opposition is to oppose," but the assertion is far broader than the truth it contains. There are times when it is clearly not the duty of an Opposition to oppose, presuming the Opposition to be gifted with ordinary intelligence and regard for the public welfare. And presuming the same conditions it is the business of an Opposition to oppose only when the public good demands such course and when the Opposition has a better plan to offer. Whatever the specific purpose of the opposition, it is the plain duty of those offering it to back up their words with deeds and their condemnations with amendments.

The Conservatives in the House of Commons, however, have developed an entirely different notion of their duty. They appear to have accepted the maxim in its broadest interpretation and with no recognition of duty or responsibility involved beyond that of opposing in season and out of season anything and everything the Government may suggest. As a result they have sacrificed whatever distinction they might have by the pursuance of a policy of sane and constructive criticism and have turned themselves into a kind of mechanical impediment whose only business is to obstruct the national highway until the superior numbers of the Government supporters knock them down, tramp them and allow public business to proceed. An illustration of this misconception of their function is afforded by the attitude of the Opposition toward western questions during the session. The distinctive feature of the session up to date has been the assault on the western development policy of the Government. The attack was begun early in the session, and has been waged incessantly on all the various phases, and even on the inconsequential details, of the policy, in debates of unusual length, and of not less unusual acerbity. Protracted assaults have been made on the free homestead policy and the vigorous immigration policy. The avowed purpose of these attacks has been the abandonment of the homestead and immigration policies, yet the Opposition has not produced one good public reason why the policies should be abandoned, nor developed any reasonable proposition to substitute for the policies if they were abandoned. That no good reasons exist for abandoning the policies is apparent from the results to any man in sober sense, and what evidence may be lacking from the circumstances is amply supplied by the futile attempts of the Opposition to baffle those results. Yet these gentlemen argued day after day in ridiculous pomposity for the abandonment of the homestead and immigration policies.

It is significant that the Opposition attacks on the land policy and its administration are led not by the Conservative members from western Canada but by members who from the location of their constituencies might be supposed to know as little as conveniently possible about the policy. Its administration and its results. When the campaign was made a few weeks since for the abandonment of the homestead policy it was headed, not by Mr. McCarthy of Calgary, Mr. Heron of Alberta, Mr. Lake of Qu'Appelle or Mr. Roche of Marguerite, but by Mr. Monk of Jacques Cartier, and Dr. Sproule, of East Grey. And when allegations were to be made that the lands were tamely administered, these came not from the members from Alberta, Saskatchewan or Manitoba, but from one of the members for the city of Montreal.

This at least is not reassuring of the acuteness of the Opposition, nor evidence that their claims rest on a reasonable ground of fact. If good public reasons exist for the abandonment of the homestead policy why was the proposal not made by a member who could claim long residence in the west as his authority for advocating the change? And if public grievances existed against the administration of the lands why should it remain for a member from an eastern city to voice these grievances? The western Conservatives have not heretofore shown a willingness to give the House the benefit of their views. If there existed actual ground of complaint against either the land administration or the homestead policy would the western Conservative members have sat in silence till a gentleman from an eastern city carried off the distinction of discovering and exposing it? Not a bit of it. But that they are claimed to have done so is proof that they are considered by their friends as not up to much either as members or as politicians.

The Ames incident is an illustration that the attitude of the Opposition toward western affairs is dominated not by the western but by the eastern members of that party, and that instead of this attitude being determined by the facts of western conditions the facts are adjusted or construed to permit the attitude. How little the facts in this case sustain the attitude was admitted when the member for Calgary who followed Mr. Ames said that he was only cause for offence the bankrolling abuse which had existed only by distortion of the homestead regulations, and which was discovered, exposed and put out of business, not by the member for Montreal or Calgary, but by the Minister of the Interior.

AN EASTERN AUTHORITY ON
WESTERN AFFAIRS

Mr. Ames, member for St. Antoine division of the city of Montreal, is the latest eastern aspirant for distinction as a Conservative critic on western affairs. Mr. Ames bases his claim to recognition on a note book in whose society he toured western Canada a year since and which he made there-of impressions of things in general from the standpoint of Mr. Ames. The contents of this volume he turned loose on the House of Commons a few days since in a speech which the correspondents of the ultra-Conservative press seem to have conceded something of a feat. From the nature of the contents of the speech it would have been afeat for any other than an eastern man to have made it in seriousness, and from the nature of the ensuing debate the occasion appears to have been very serious for Mr. Ames.

The peregrinations of the gentleman from Montreal were represented as having led him to believe first that some settlers had not fulfilled their homestead duties within the required time; second, that land agents had been abusing the regulations by blanketing homesteads; third, that the homesteads will be all settled up by 1910; and fourthly, that the H. B. Co. and C. N. R. lands were being held by from \$3 to \$9.50 per acre, while the C. P. R. charged from \$7 to \$14. What the various deductions from these supposed facts were, or what was the final conclusion to which Mr. Ames came we are left in the dark, but from the hasty manner in which the Conservative correspondents concluded but lauded the effort it is to be supposed that the argument followed the usual lines: that because some settlers have not performed their duties within the required time they should be prevented from doing so at all; that because speculators had abused the regulations the Government which changes the regulations so as to make such abuse impossible should be condemned for the abuse; that to prevent the homesteads being all settled by 1910 they should be withdrawn from settlement in 1907; and that because the C. P. R. charged more for their lands than their rivals the C. P. R. must be endowed with a surpassing desire to promote the settlement and prosperity of the west. What may have been the ultimate climax to this series of deductions it is hard to say, but we may be permitted a dark surmise that it involved the defeat of the Government, the elevation of the Opposition and the abandonment of the free homestead pol-

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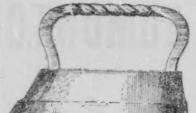
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The Fur Trade of the North

(By Frank G. Carpenter)

The Revillons are fit competitors of the Hudson's Bay company. They have been engaged in wholesale and retail fur trading for 175 years, and they are now carrying on their business with a capital of 70,000,000 francs, or about \$14,000,000. They have already established posts all over the Northwest and there are gradually building up a line of stations throughout the land which the Hudson's Bay people have ways considered their own. They have a central station at Edmonton, another at Prince Albert and a third at Labrador, with two or three hundred branch posts in active operation. They are buying fur all along the Mackenzie river up and down the shores of the Arctic ocean, along Hudson bay and in different parts of Labrador; and they are, I am told, getting a fair share of the best skins of the continent.

In addition to this they have, with the opening up of the wheat belt, established a great wholesale and retail department store here and are doing business with the new settlers.

The head of the fur establishment and the department store is a young Frenchman, Mr. Revillon. He is only about 25 years of age, but has already built up this business and has the sole charge of it. It was while dining with him the other night that we talked about the fur trade and the wonderful growth going on here.

During our conversation I asked Mr. Revillon to tell me how fur trading is carried on in this part of the world. He replied:

"Nearly all the furs sold are brought in by the Indians, and we buy or trade direct with them. We know the goods they most prize and ship them in wagons to Athabasca Landing where they are by different waterways to our various posts. The Indians bring the skins to the posts and exchange them for the goods. It is all a matter of barter. No money passes and each fur is valued at so many skins. The standard of value used to be a beaver, every fur being worth so many beavers. This value was created by the Hudson's Bay Company, and it is said that they sometimes got extravagant prices for their goods through the ignorance of the Indians. That kind of trading has all passed away, and the Indians now get a fair value for their furs. The skin which now forms the unit is worth from 35 to 50 cents, according to the distance of the trading post from Edmonton, the rate increasing on account of the freight."

"But does the savage understand the value of his furs?"

"Yes, indeed, and he understands how to get it. He is not an easy man to deal with, and he must be handled in his own peculiar way. Some of our traders visit the Indian camps carrying boxes of goods with them. At such times they never mention trading upon their arrival. The white trader tells his Indian friends that he has come out to make a friendly call. He asks

after the health of the tribe and of each man's wife and family. He smokes with them and talks about the weather and other things for hours and hours. Indeed a night often passes before any business is mentioned. The next day the trader may ask one of the Indians if his luck has been good, and if he says yes, it is the sign that he has furs and is willing to trade. If he says no, the white man goes on smoking. After a time the Indian may thaw out and pull a mink skin from inside his coat and ask the trader what he will give for it. If the price is right, he will sell it, but if not, he will bring forth no more skins and the business dealings are ended for that visit. If he is satisfied he may pull out another mink, gradually giving up all he has for sale. He has to be treated diplomatically; he is sensitive and suspicious and it takes skill to handle him.

"Do the Indians make much money in that way?"

"Yes; I have known braves who made two or three thousand dollars a year. The average Indian does well, however, if he gets three or four hundred. But much or little it is all the same. These Indians do not know how to keep money. They never consider the future. They barter their goods for goods as soon as they have them, and they eat up their supplies as fast as they can. They buy the most extravagant things. I know an Indian for instance, who received \$1,000 for some furs. The first thing he did was to send to Quebec for a piano, which cost him all told, a thousand dollars before it was delivered. He did not know how to play it, and after a few days he tore it apart to see how it worked.

"What are the most expensive furs caught here?"

"I should say the silver foxes. The black ones are worth most, and a fine skin may bring twelve hundred dollars or more."

In talking with Mr. Secord of the important for buying company of Mc Dougall and Secord I was told that the fur business is now as good as it has ever been and that it will be a long time before men will freeze for lack of fur coats and women become pillars of ice because they have not fur sashes. The skins may continue costly, but there are plenty of animals left, and it will be long before the supply gives out.

Mr. Secord tells me that furs are largely affected by fashion, and also by the supply. In some years the Indians bring in many more of certain kinds of furs than in other years, and, strange to say, the supply of some species rises and falls with the rabbit crop. Some varieties of the fur bearing animals live largely on rabbits, which breed so rapidly that the animals cannot keep them down. At intervals of every four or five years a disease breaks out which kills the rabbits off by the thousand, and following such years come the lean for years.

to the wagon. It was quite badly demolished.

Mrs. Theo. Shepard has been very ill for the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Moss's two sons, from Sheffield, England, arrived here the first of the week.

Mrs. Roberts suffered an accident which might have proved fatal. She was stepping down from the wagon when the horses jumped, throwing her to the ground. She was unconscious for some time.

Mr. Levi Lane left for town last week. He expects to be absent for about a week.

Mr. E. Loretto returned to his home in Chicago. He has taken land in the southwest of 8-38-3 and will return to his homestead soon.

Mr. Jno. Donnelly, our land guide, located twenty-two land hunters this week. Some of them are from Chicago, Washington, Minnesota and England.

ROSE RIDGE NEWS
(Correspondence)

Rose Ridge, May 18.—Everyone has finished seeding and is now watching the crops grow.

Mr. Lee Auten has almost completed a fine barn.

Mr. J. T. Aulen of Edmonton, is spending a few days with his sons here.

Hugh Flynn and Gerald Sullivan of Edmonton paid a flying visit to friends here last week.

Mrs. Finlay McDonell is in Riviere du Loup attending her brother William McHillis, who is seriously ill. Roseridge continued.

The Misses Morris of St. Albert, visited Minnedosa yesterday.

We are pleased to hear of the recovery of Mr. Walter Rector, from his recent serious illness.

Mr. Thomas and Frank Flynn spent Sunday at Mr. Dan McDonald's.

R. T. Flynn and Mr. Ed. Auren called Saturday morning last week.

The average attendance for our school last month was 27.

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(Port. Saskatchewan, May 18.—At a special meeting of the town council by law No. 47 re electric lighting was introduced and passed.

Mr. W. F. Langworthy is moving his large stock to his new store on Ross street, where he will likely be ready for the grand opening Monday, May 21. Mr. G. Hill who has been conducting a furniture business on the corner of Government and Belcher streets will also move into the building.

Mr. R. Dalton, who has been employed for some time past by Cushing Bros. for the construction of the new C.G.R. station, will be about for three weeks employed in the interests of the same company. When he is returning he will bring his wife and family from Calgary to spend the summer here.

The Fort Saskatchewan club has made arrangements to play the Stratford intermediates on Victoria day, May 24, at Fort Saskatchewan, for the purpose of \$25 offered by the sporting committee. The Edmonton intermediate baseball team having failed to accept the challenge from the Fort boys. It is expected that there will be an interesting game.

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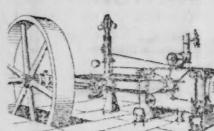
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ENGLISHMAN KILLED IN CHILI
Victoria, May 16.—Howard Schwerin, a mining engineer, son of W. P. Schwerin, manager of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, who arrived Saturday from Antofagasta, Chile on board the British ship Inverclyde, in an interview given to the Colonist reporter, told of tragic occurrences during the strike of the waterfront workers at the Chilean port.

"About 120 lives were lost during the rioting," said Mr. Schwerin. "That is a conservative estimate. There were mostly Chileans, though one Englishman was brutally killed. I think he was the only Anglo-Saxon killed."

The Englishman, named Rogers, son of a merchant at Ingulque, was employed by the Antofagasta & Bolivia Railway and on the second day of the strike some of the mob mistook him for a Spaniard who had been one of the volunteer guards which had killed many strikers on the previous day. Rogers was attacked by the strikers and tried to use his revolver. As revolvers sometimes do when most needed, this one refused to work, and when Rogers found his weapon would not work he took to his heels. The strikers chased him and were overtaking him when he took shelter in the low doorway of the house of a peon, where he again tried to make use of his revolver without effect. The strikers, who had him at bay in the doorway, began pelting him with stones and he was soon bleeding as a result of wounds caused by the missiles. He sank prostrate not far from the peon's door and the mob rushed on to him, literally jumping the life from his bruised body under their boots. He was already dead when one of the strikers took a revolver and fired it point blank in the face of the dead man.

"The rioting started as a result of the attempt of strikers to take the arms from the volunteer guard. The strike followed the organization of the various branches of waterfront workers into a union, the dock laborers, lancheros, employed on lighters and other workers having left work soon after the union was formed. The discovery of new nitrate deposits had resulted in a boom at Antofagasta, and the strike was well timed. When the strike occurred a number of Spaniards and other foreigners doing business in Antofagasta formed what they called a guard of honor and paraded the plaza armed with Winchesters and other weapons. The plaza was crowded with strikers and the general populace. Some of the strikers, it seems, went to where the guard was assembled and tried to take the rifles away from some of them. These men fired at some of the strikers, which had been called out, arrested on the opposite side of the plaza, and the commander, thinking the strikers were firing on the populace, opened fire. In all there were about forty strikers and by-standers killed when the cross fire was on. The plaza was soon cleared though, and the dead and wounded were removed.

"The dead were gathered from the plaza into carts and carted out to the outskirts of the city where they were interred en masse in a big pit. Who they were their friends did not know for many days. I believe there were more Chileans, for, as far as I could learn, there were only one or two Spaniards killed other than the natives, and the only English-speaking foreigner killed, was Rogers, who as I have told you, was stoned to death. After the plaza was cleared when the first outbreak took place, the lancers came upon the scene and started to clear the streets. The hot-blooded Chileans were much up over the killing in the plaza, and several incipient outbreaks occurred within the next few days. Any of the guard of honor who were found outside of the protection of the troops were killed, and it was as a result of his being mistaken for one of the Spaniards, belonging to this guard that Rogers lost his life.

"The lancers rode up and down the streets and wherever three or four persons were gathered even they were dispersed. Every little gathering was quickly dispersed, and many of those who persisted in congregating

were killed by the troops. It was estimated that in all 120 were killed during the six days of the rioting. Then the Chilean gunboats Banff and Admirante Pratt arrived at Antofagasta in response to summonses by the authorities, and landing parties were sent ashore to picket the streets. The arrival of the sailors ended the rioting and quiet was soon restored.

THE ALPINE CLUB OF CANADA
A meeting was held in the city of Winnipeg on the 27th and 28th March, 1898, for the purpose of organization.

Twenty-eight delegates were present from the following points: Halifax in Nova Scotia; Montreal in Quebec; Toronto and Woodstock, in Ontario; Winnipeg and Portage la Prairie in Manitoba; Calgary, Lethbridge, Banff, Laggan and Morley, in Alberta; Revelstoke, Golden, Field and the Kootenays, in British Columbia.

A constitution was adopted and the following officers elected for a term of two years—

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6. The interchange of ideas with other Alpine associations.

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Four Active members, five Associate members, thirty Active members and thirty-seven Graduating members were duly enrolled.

It was decided to hold each year, a summer camp in some strategic position where graduating members may qualify for active membership and where all members may gather for climbing and mountain study.

The first of these camps will be held commencing the second week in July, 1898, at the summit of the Yoho Pass, above Emerald Lake, and will be open to all members of the club under a program of arrangements to be issued by a committee appointed for that purpose.

PRAISE FOR THE POLICE
Vancouver, May 17.—General Superintendent Marpole, of the Pacific division, returned from Kamloops to-day, and made the following statement:

"I have no doubt as to the identity of the men who were captured by the Mounted Police contingent under Sergt. Wilson. It is quite possible that the old man of the party who gave his name as Edwards is the reliable train robber known as Bill Miner, and I think in any case he will be identified as the leader of the gang that held up our express train near Mission Junction in September, 1904. It is more than probable, therefore, that the hold-up was planned by Miner, or Edwards, if he is not the former, and his associates in the Similkameen district. There appears to be a number of tough characters in the country south of Kamloops whose antecedents should be looked into. Some of them like Edwards, have been allowed to roam that section of British Columbia without any question or surveillance. This is a

fact of this province may be some radical change to prevent such desperados making our country, a harbor of refuge. We shall make representations in this connection to the executive of the provincial government.

"The presence of a contingent of Dominion Mounted Police in British Columbia would certainly have a deterrent effect, and I see no reason why a corps should not be stationed at a point like Kamloops and another further south, and a third at Golden. The provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan are favored in having such a magnificently body of men to maintain law and order.

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"Col. Perry, chief commander R.N.W.M.P., who came to Kamloops with his men, has every reason to be proud of them. Had the robbers broken through the first cordon and escaped south of Douglas lake, Col. Perry had on the way to Penitentiary a contingent of ten Mounted Policemen under Inspector Church, who would be there on Tuesday with expert local guides, and with the aid of trackers and detectives, who would certainly have captured the desperados before they got over the boundary if they made for it.

"It was a happy inspiration of Mr. Whyte to ask for the services of the Mounted Police, and the extraordinarily prompt way in which Col. Perry sent the men from Calgary to the scene of the trouble was most fortunate."

anese commander, is no other than Sir Hector Macdonald.

Many people have never heard that the brilliant English general is dead, and not long ago there appeared in the London Times an offer of \$3,000 to anyone who had seen his dead body. It is also a fact that Sir Hector was once invited to go to Japan to train the Japanese army and he actually mentioned it to Lord Roberts. No honor has ever been publicly conferred on Kuroki, who appears to have vanished as suddenly and mysteriously as he appeared.

Even the Japanese, with all their reticence, confessed to a correspondent that Kuroki had much foreign blood in him, and one American journalist declared he was a Dutchman.

Rudyard Kipling first lifted the veil showing a little of the mysterious workings of the Indian bazaars. The eerily with which they spread rumors of events taking place at great distances is familiar to all Anglo-Indian residents, but invariably baffling to them.

The mutiny of the Sepoys was known throughout India almost as soon as it occurred, and it has been an unexplained mystery up to to-day how the information was so rapidly disseminated.

SASKATCHEWAN'S SURPLUS

Regina, May 19.—The budget debate is being bitterly waged and protracted will not likely occur for some weeks yet. The province starts on its career with a half million surplus.

TRAIN ROBBERS COMMITTED
Kamloops, May 19.—The three prisoners accused of robbing the mail train were committed for trial. Two were positively identified by the train crew.

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Pres. Hill, of the G. N. R., was tendered a luncheon by the Canadian Club of Winnipeg on his visit there on Wednesday. Mr. Hill, arising to speak, was greeted with long continued applause. It was a very great pleasure to him, he said, to meet again friends in Winnipeg known to him in the early days.

Thirty-six years ago he had first seen Winnipeg. He had come from the Pimino de Terra river. From that point he had travelled behind two dogs to Winnipeg. There were two houses at that time between the central western part of Minnesota and the international boundary. The population of Winnipeg was about 2000. "I met Lord Strathcona," he continued, "on the way in, going east ahead of a delegation sent from Manitoba to Ottawa where, I understand, a number of the members of the delegation were put in prison. (Laughter.) My impressions of the west were such that it seemed to me desirable to open up methods of communication between the south and the northwest. We first put in a steamer on the Red river. We were anxious to have the Grand Trunk sell a ticket from eastern Canada to Fort Garry. We did not care to call it Winnipeg, because Fort Garry was known and Winnipeg was unknown. Now, Fort Garry is gone, all but the gateway, and Winnipeg is known throughout the entire world.

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Mr. Hill, in closing, advised the establishment of a scientific school in the west, for experimenting for the benefit of the farmers.

—THE ANGLO-AMERICAN EXPEDITION.

Vancouver Province: Dr. George P. Howe, of Lawrence, Mass., has reached here and will leave for Victoria to join the Anglo-American polar expedition, which sails for the north next week.

"It is headed jointly," said he, "by Dr. Ernest Leffingwell, of Chicago, and Captain Mikkelsen, of the Danish navy. The party is composed of ten members in addition to the crew."

"The cost of the expedition is being defrayed by contributions from the Royal Geographical Society, of London, and the American Geographical Society of New York. The Canadian government has voted a sum of money, and Baron Rothschild also made a contribution."

"Capt. Mikkelsen and Dr. Leffingwell will be here for some time at Victoria fitting out the brig the Duchess of Bedford, which was formerly engaged in the sealing trade, and which was chartered for the voyage. Departure from Victoria will probably be made on May 20. In August it is expected that the steamer will pass through Beaufort strait, and on the way tidal observations will be taken at Point Barrow, Harrison's Bay and Herschel Island. At Herschel Island they will pick up Dr. Stefansson and will then cross Prince of Wales strait and establish a depot of provisions on Prince Royal Island. They then go south to Minto Inlet, where they are to go into winter quarters."

"In the spring of 1907 the expedition will be sent to Banks Island, Melville Island and Prince Patrick Island to take soundings and to investigate tidal cracks in the ice. Only a portion of the party will go on this expedition. The balance of the company will remain and study the Eskimos at Minto Inlet. When the ice goes out the men will round the coast of Banks Island, and the future work of the expedition will depend on the state of the tides. If our provisions hold out a second winter may be spent in the north at Burnet et Bay on the land."

"The general purpose of the expedition is to take tidal observations on Banks Island and the Alaskan coast, to make meteorological observations during the two years' stay, to pursue geological, ethnological and zoological investigations on the Western Parry Islands, and also to make some survey of the coast and the interior of some of the islands."

Dr. Howe, physician of the party, is a resident of Lawrence, Mass. He graduated in medicine at Harvard University in 1904, and since that time has been surgeon at the Boston City Hospital.

Dr. Stefansson, the anthropologist of the party, will not go to the west coast, but will make the journey overland from Edmonton. His purpose in this is to visit the Indians living along the Mackenzie river and the Eskimos at the mouth. He has already considerable knowledge of the language used both by the Indians and the Eskimos, and anticipates little trouble in making himself understood by the native races. It is expected that the long trip down the Mackenzie will be made by the Hudson's Bay steamer which leaves the source in June. Before reaching the points from which the steamer starts, a long arduous journey must be made, part of it overland and part by water.

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Mrs Nannie Strachan and Gavin Spence, the Scotch entertainers, appear at Queen's ave. church this evening.

Plank sidewalks are being erected on the extension of McDougall street north of Isabella.

The firm of John E. Graham & Co. real estate agents, has dissolved partnership.

The McDougall church League will hold a social this evening in the church.

Rev. Dr. Riddell occupied the pulpit of McDougall Methodist church at the morning service yesterday.

The Edmonton agency of the Singer Sewing Machine Co. have removed their offices to Second street, opposite the Thistle Rink.

The meeting of Queen's ave Young People's Society will be held on Tuesday evening this week, and an election of officers will be held.

Plaindealer: The mail service on the C. & E. line has been improved lately by the late train every night carrying closed bags between Calgary and Strathcona.

Residents of the district between Clover Bar and East Clover Bar are petitioning the post office department for a post office to be located at Mr. Horton's store.

The directors of the Y. M. C. A. will hold a dinner at Alberta College tomorrow evening, when important matters in connection with the institution will be discussed.

Rev. C. H. Huestis of McDougall church, preached in Grace church yesterday morning. Rev. A. S. Tuttle preached in the Strathcona Methodist church.

William's original Jubilee singers will appear in the Thistle rink, here, on Monday, May 28th. There are six singers in the company and every one is a star.

Strathcona Plaindealer: The latest reports from the survey party seeking grades for the G. T. P. into Strathcona from Cooking Lake are favorable and the prospects are bright for a suitable line being located. The work is still in progress.

Vermilion Signal: There was great rejoicing in town on Monday morning when three large wagons, loaded with camp outfit and a pile driver, were seen pulling down to the head of the ravine at the head of Bulyea avenue and word went round that the men had arrived to build the Government bridge across the valley directly opposite the town.

A very pretty wedding took place on Thursday, May 10, at Colchester church, the contracting parties being Miss Nelle Louise Stannard, of Salisbury, and Mr. Wm. Plunkett, of Edmonton. Miss Edith Bulson and Miss Katie Stannard were the bridesmaids, and Mr. Geo. Stannard, brother of the bride, acted as best man. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. Stannard, of Salisbury. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. George of Strathcona, after which the party returned to the house of A. J. Standard, where the wedding breakfast was held. Mr. and Mrs. Plunkett will reside in Edmonton.

Regina Leader: The reputation of the Northwest Mounted Police for quickness in action is in no wise diminished by one of their latest exploits. D. C. Monk, of Sault Ste Marie, Mich., charged with embezzling \$800 from the steam shovellers there crossed the line into Canada and made his way west. Within ten days of the first notification them that Monk had come into western Canada the Mounted Police located the man and placed him under arrest. He was arrested by Constable Proby about 35 miles west of Craik, and is now in custody at the barracks here awaiting the arrival of the sheriff from Sault Ste Marie.

Prince Albert Times: Isaac Michel, known by the Indian name Tapasine, died in Chicago Tuesday morning at 4 o'clock. A post mortem by Dr. Labrecque revealed the fact that his skull had been fractured. Michel returned from the drive last week and Thursday night got into a row with another Indian named Jumbo. Squealing Johnnie's son saw the fight and told Chas. Prudhomme. Coroner T. C. Spencehead an inquest and the jury returned a verdict that death resulted from foul play and that in the opinion of the jury suspicion pointed to an Indian on the reserve named Jumbo.

Geo. Harcourt, Deputy Minister of Saturday, where he had been assisting in the organization of an agricultural society. He says that Leduc is becoming a farm purpose. And they say it is cheap too. The citizens of Leduc think their turn has come for recognition, and the town will become one of the most up-to-date along the line.

Wetaskiwin Times: The baseball season opened here on Friday evening of last week when the Capitals of Edmonton, came down and administered

defeat to the home team, to the score of 7-1. The playing was not fast and many errors were made on both sides, especially by the boys in red, who gave the visitors through errors six runs which would have left the score a tie. Vining was in the box for the Capitals, and apparently had better control than Pittman, although the latter struck out nine, as compared with the former's six. The features of the game were the sensational catches made by L. Murray, and the three base hits by L. Murray and Norton of Wetaskiwin. The home team is badly in need of two or three new men and when these are secured the score may be reversed.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

J. G. Cunningham of Calgary is registered at the Pendennis.

W. H. Ashdown, of Vegreville is registered at the Queens.

Geo. B. Morris and W. H. Clarke, of Calgary are at the Imperial.

Geo. H. Shaw, general traffic manager of the C.N.R., Winnipeg, is a guest at the Alberta.

W. J. Clarke, of London, England, arrived in the city on Saturday and is registered at the Pendennis.

Mrs. and Miss Belcher of Lethbridge are guests at the Alberta.

C. E. McManus, real estate agent, returned from a business trip to Wetaskiwin this morning.

C. E. Morris has been seriously ill for the past two weeks, but is recovering and will likely be able to be around in a week or so.

Mr. Lewis of Revelstoke, B.C. arrived in Strathcona, Saturday, and will spend the summer with her son Mr. R. P. Lewis.

Miss Jessie Robson, of Winnipeg, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Lewis, Strathcona, for the past three weeks returned to her home this afternoon.

WILL BUILD NEW CHURCH

Work will be commenced shortly upon the erection of the new Roman Catholic mission in the east end of the city, the building of which has been contemplated for some time. The new church will be built on Kristine Ave. on Block 27, between Picard and Ross streets. The building will be 60x40, and will cost in the neighborhood of \$4000. It will have a seating capacity of about 400.

WEDDING AT ST. JOACHIM'S

A pretty wedding took place this morning train for Banff, and on their o'clock when Miss M. Levellie, daughter of Joseph Levellie, was united in marriage to Mr. P. Malsonneuve, of the firm of Malsonneuve & Teraut. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Jan. of the parish of St. Anthony, Strathcona. The groom was supported by Louis L'Abbe, of Morinville. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served. The couple left on the morning train for Banff, and on their return will reside on Sixth street.

ALBERTA COLLEGE NOTES

The following students have lately registered in Alberta College in the commercial department: Miss Bryan, Red Deer; Miss Jessie Cameron, Wetaskiwin; Miss Elva Cameron, Wetaskiwin; Miss Kellner, Wetaskiwin; Miss Frederick, Edmonton; Miss Watson, Edmonton; Miss Case, Edmonton; Miss Hutchy, Edmonton; Walter Bertram, Edmonton; Agnes Flynn, Mornville; Miss Barnes, Edmonton; Miss Udell; and Miss Malchaw have resumed their studies. The college intends to keep the departments of music and business open during the summer.

Already the college is arranging to make such additions as will give more room for the students who will come next year. The college is making an earnest effort to put the business courses on a sound educational basis and the fact that its students have given satisfaction in the offices in which they found employment is the strongest testimony to the thoroughness of the work done.

WATER STILL LOW

Notwithstanding the heavy rain during the past week the water in the Saskatchewan has risen only a few inches and there is not yet enough water to bring down several million feet of logs that are hung up 60 to 80 miles up the river, waiting for the rise that will bring them down.

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Ableson—At Strathcona, on Sunday, May 14, 1906, Christopher Ableson, aged 65 years.

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